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FLOWERS for FALL PLANTING



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Large Double Flowering Peonies

ONCE planted they will last a lifetime with little care. They grow from one to three feet high, producing magnificent blooms, which sometimes almost surpass the beauty of the Rose. Another point which is largely in their favor, is the fact that the plants are never attacked by either insects, animal or fungal diseases. Peonies will succeed in most any kind of soil, but give best results when planted in a deep rich and somewhat moist loam.

AGIDA. Medium sized, double, midseason; the most near scarlet of any red Peony. Price, 75 cents.

FRAGRANS. Solferino-red with slight silvery reflex. Compact, bomb type, strong vigorous grower, medium size, late. Price, 75 cents.

PESTIVA MAXIMA. About the largest and undoubtedly the most popular Peony of them all. High built flowers borne on long stiff stems, the purest white, inner petals slightly tipped carmine. Early. Price, 75 cents.

EDULIS SUPERBA. Very soft salmon-pink, changing to bluish white. Blooms habitually in broad clusters and makes a fine bedder. Price, 75 cents.

MADAME CALOT. This is the freest flowering of all Peonies. It is known in Holland as the Glory of Boskoop. Flesh white, shaded salmon; large convex flowers. Fine buds, extra for cut flowers. Price, 75 cents.

JULES CALOT. Color distinct from all others, bright carmine-pink, with crinkly tips of silvery-white. Immense, loose, rounded heads borne in profusion. Price, 75 cents each.

OLD FASHIONED GARDEN PEONIES

ROSEA. Deep cerise-pink. Price, 50 cents each.

ALBA. Pure white; large flower. Price, 50 cents each.

RUBRA. Deep crimson; early. Price, 50 cents each.

One each of the Old-Fashioned Peonies, red, white and pink, for \$1.25.

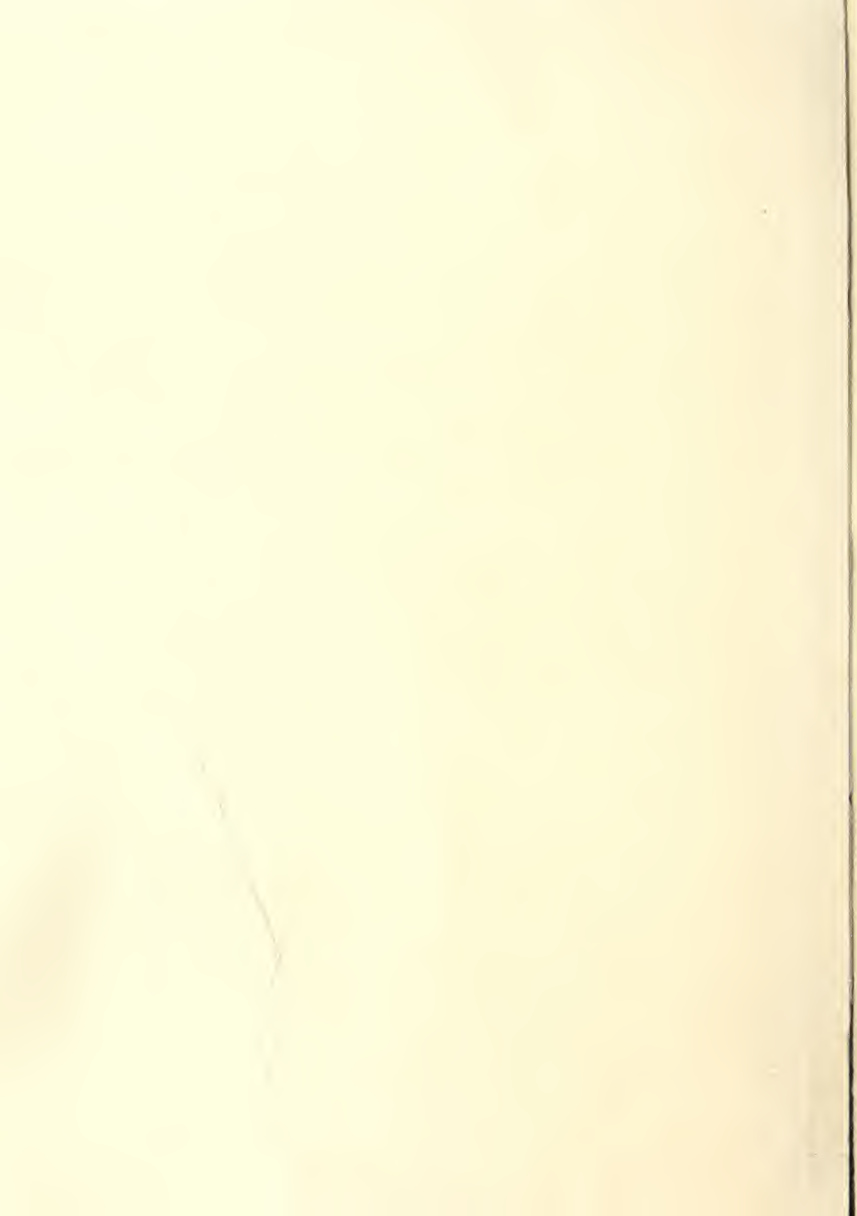
VESTAL'S ROSES

FOR FALL PLANTING—The advantages of planting Roses in the fall are many. Then the ground is rich with fertility, and the plants will at once take root and become

firmly established. The following spring they will have an earlier start and will produce an abundance of choice flowers throughout the season, while the growth of spring planted stock will be checked and it will require some time to become rooted. Let us urge you to plant Roses this fall. They will reward you next summer by blooming freely. We are glad, therefore, to make this special offer of extra large plants, all properly pruned and ready for delivery as soon as the wood is thoroughly ripened, which is usually early in November. These varieties have been selected with the utmost care, and we firmly believe they can be had anywhere. They may be planted any time before the ground freezes hard; give the

A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY TO GET CHOICE ROSES OF YOUR OWN SELECTION AT ONE-HALF PRICE. MANY ARE NEW AND RARE.

SPECIAL NOTICE—Plants can only be sent by express, purchaser paying transportation charges.
PRICES: For fall planting we offer only our largest sized two-year-old plants. - - - - - 50 Cents Each; \$6.00 Per Dozen.



Choice Winter Flowering Geraniums

15 Cents Each, Postpaid

ALPHONSE RICARD. Color a brilliant shade of orange red.
BEAUTY POITEVINE. Beautiful rosy salmon, tinted deep orange.
BUCKNER. Flowers white.
BERTHA DE PRESSLY. Beautiful silver rose of exquisite brightness, the blooms are extra large, very double.
DUKE DE MONTMORT. Color, brilliant purple, nearest we have to blue Geranium.
E. H. TREGO. Bright scarlet, double flowers.

JEAN VIAUD. Color, bright rosy pink.
MARQUIS DE CASTELAINE. Deep rosy scarlet.
RED WING. A deep cardinal red with a soft velvety sheen.
GRANVILLE. Beautiful shade of dark rose pink.
L'AUBE. Pure snowy white.
E. C. HILL. Distinct and pleasing shade of salmon.
JACQUERIE. Beautiful deep cardinal red.
TIFFIN. One of the finest single varieties, rich glowing crimson.
S. WITT. The most free-blooming, dark rich crimson Geranium in existence.

Any three varieties for 40 cents, or eight Geraniums for \$1.00, postpaid.

3 IVY-LEAVED GERANIUMS, 50 CENTS

Three lovely unnamed novelties with large, soft-colored flowers in Lavender, Light Pink and Dark Pink—your choice, 20 cents each, postpaid.

3 SWEET-SCENTED GERANIUMS, 40 Cents

(Greatly prized for their unique fragrance)
APPLE-SCENTED. Deliciously scented like rich, luscious apples. 15 cents each.
LEMON-SCENTED. Delightful lemon odor. 15 cents each.
ROSE-SCENTED. The favorite fragrant Geranium. 15 cents each.

PANSY GERANIUM, EASTER GREETING

"The earliest of all Pelargoniums with enormous florets, and clusters having light green foliage and of dwarf robust growth. It blooms from March until fall. The florets are of fiery amaranth red with five regular shaped spots. The first and only kind to bloom as well bedded out as in pots and to do so all summer." Price, 30 cents each; 2 for 50 cents.

Chrysanthemums for Indoor Winter Flowering

THESE Chrysanthemums have been specially grown for winter flowering, their vigorous root-systems enabling them to produce the finest blooms if given proper care. On arrival they should be potted into 6-inch or larger size pots, and planted firmly to get best results. Price 20 cents each; 6 for \$1.00.

DECEMBER BEAUTY. White with light pink shading, which is more pronounced in the open flower. Of sterling merit.
EDWIN SEIDEWITZ. A beautiful late, incurved, bright pink, maturing from Thanksgiving to early December. Surpasses all late pinks we have grown.
HARVARD. Japanese reflexed, very dark crimson; in perfection November 15th and later.

Beautiful Free Blooming Begonias

BEGONIA HAAGEANA

A shrubby variety, good grower and free bloomer; leaves triangular; under side of leaf and stem hairy; the surface of a lustrous metallic or bronze color, veined darker, flowers white. Price, 30 cents each.

BEGONIA CORALLINE LUCERNE

A superb new variety of the Coral Begonia, producing gigantic trusses of bronzy red flowers and flowering continuously from April to November. The foliage is dotted with silvery white. Blooms last from a month to six weeks, and are borne in immense clusters, almost hiding the plant. The color is bright coral-red, changing to a delicate pink. Nice plants, 30 cents; 3 for 75 cents.

BEEFSTEAK BEGONIA

Sometimes called the "Strawberry Leaf" Geranium; very ornamental; leaves silver top, red underneath; very pretty flowers. Each, 20 cents.

NEW BEGONIA BRILLIANT

(New Ever-Blooming Flowering Begonia)

Freest blooming variety known; of easy culture, low bushy habit, and literally covered the entire year with a wealth of beautiful Christmas red flowers with yellow stamens. It well merits the name of Ever-blooming Begonia. Price, 20 cents each.

GLOIRE DE CHATELIER

A very valuable variety that bids fair to become popular. It is an easy grower, free flowering, excellent both as a house plant and for bedding purposes. Each, 20 cents.
 For a profusion of brilliant and varied bloom; for richness and variety of foliage, a good collection of Begonias has no equal.



Begonia Coralline Lucerne

POINSETTIA PULCHERRIMA

This is the plant which produces the large clusters of red leaves or flowers which are seen in all the flower stores at Christmas. We offer fine plants. Prices, 25 cents, 50 cents, 75 cents and \$1.00 each.

PRIMROSES

These plants will bloom continually if put in 4 or 5-inch pots in good earth.

FRINGED CHINESE PRIMROSE (Primula Sincensis Primbrata). Will bloom beautifully all winter and spring, in any ordinary window, even where there is not much light or heat. Four separate colors—pink, pure white, crimson and blue. 20 cents each; 4 for 60 cents, postpaid; larger size, 25 cents each; 4 for 75 cents, postpaid.

EVER-BLOOMING PRIMROSE (Primula Obconica Grandiflora). Bears splendid clusters of lovely flowers the whole season. They come in many different shades. Mixed colors only. 20 cents each, postpaid.

BABY PRIMROSE (Primula Malacoides). Very dainty. Throws up its lovely rings of rosy pink flowers for eight or ten months. 20 cents each; larger, 35 and 50 cents.

CINERARIA

Very handsome winter and spring blooming plants, flourishing from January to May with massive foliage and huge trusses of flowers. The colors range in various shades of pale blue, deep purple, soft rose, bright red and white, arranged in many different and charming combinations. Fine plants, three-inch pots. Ready October 1st. 30 cents each, \$3.00 per dozen.



Cineraria

COLEUS—CHRISTMAS GEM

Has broad leaves that often measure eight inches across, beautifully marked with yellow and brightest crimson. The prettiest foliage plant we know. Stock in fine condition. Price, 20 cents each. Specimens, 50 cents each.

NEW GIANT RAINBOW COLEUS CHRISTMAS QUEEN

It is difficult to describe this beautiful new large leaf Coleus. Its coloring is gorgeous and ranges from dark velvety maroon through shades of brown, green, pink and yellow; the combinations of color varying in each plant. Must be seen to be fully appreciated. Price, 20 cents each.

VIOLETS

PRINCESS OF WALES. New single violet. This variety is far ahead of any other single violet known. Of hardy, vigorous growth, the plants are wonderfully free flowering. Price, 15 cents each; 12 for \$1.20.

CYCLAMEN

(Piesian Violet)

There is no more ornamental plant for greenhouse or parlor culture than the Cyclamen. It grows readily, blooms freely and remains a long time in flower. The soil should be equal parts of turfy loam, leaf mold and silver sand. Put in pots three times the diameter of the bulb in October. Keep in a cool, light place, watering lightly until growth begins. Then water freely and give plenty of light and air. On the approach of cold weather remove to the parlor or greenhouse, but keep them near the light. Extra fine plants, 50 cents each.

AMARYLLIS JOHNSONII

One of the most gorgeous bulbous plants grown. We have seen specimens of a few years' growth that completely filled a window. Nothing is more showy than this grand plant during late winter or early spring, bearing large flowers of intense crimson with a delicate white feather in each petal. Price, extra large bulbs, 75 cents each.



Wandering Jew (Tradescantia Tricolor)

WANDERING JEW (Tradescantia Tricolor)

Most beautiful variegated purple scarlet and white. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

ALYSSUM LITTLE GIANT

A great improvement on the old double Sweet Alyssum, it being of more dwarf compact habit, with flowers twice as large, and borne erect like candytuft. Price, 10 cents each.

CARNATIONS

There is no sweeter flower than the Carnation, and they are, without question, the best of all plants for winter blooming. We have selected six of the very choicest kinds, including all colors of this delightful flower, and know you will not be disappointed in getting these varieties. They are large plants, ready to begin blooming at once. Price, 50 cents each.

NOTE—In ordering Carnations state color wanted, white, pink, red or variegated.

ZEPHYRUS LILIES

(Fairy Lilies)

For outdoor planting, 3 inches deep and 8 inches apart. Cover well with litter in the fall for winter protection.
BABY PINK. Dwarf habit, producing an abundance of blooms constantly. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

Poinsettia—Has a brilliant scarlet flower

Coleus—CHRISTMAS GEM

New Giant Rainbow Coleus

Christmas Queen

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Narcissus and Daffodils for Naturalizing



Poets Narcissus

MIXED ASSORTMENT

WE OFFER these at exceptionally low prices to encourage liberal plantings. They are very suitable for growing in masses for garden decorations, and are grand for cutting, and particularly adapted for mixed borders, "naturalizing" in shrubbery by woodland walks in woods by streams and lakes and semi-wild, outlying grounds. They are perfectly hardy (Polyanthus excepted) and will flourish and increase for years. Price, mixed, 75 cents per dozen; \$5.00 per 100.

DOUBLE NARCISSUS AND DAFFODILS

Double Flowering Daffodils are hardy and especially adapted for open ground planting, where under congenial conditions they thrive and increase for years. The early sorts are also useful for pot culture and for winter forcing.

DOUBLE VON SION. The true "Double Yellow" Daffodil. Rich golden yellow perianth and trumpet. Price, 12 cents each; \$1.25 per dozen.

ALBA PLENA ODORATA. "The Double White Poet's Narcissus." Double snow-white, Gardenia-like flowers, exquisitely scented; late flowering. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

SULPHUR (OR SILVER) PHOENIX. "Codlins and Cream." Large creamy white flowers with sulphur nectary. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

INCOMPARABLE FL. PL. "Butter and Eggs." Full double flowers of rich yellow with orange nectary. Splendid variety for either forcing for winter cut flowers or for open ground planting. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

ORANGE PHOENIX. "Eggs and Bacon." Beautiful double white flowers with orange nectary. Splendid for pot culture or garden decoration and cutting. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

THE POET'S NARCISSUS

(Narcissus Poeticus)

Splendid for Edging Borders Along a Walk.

POETICUS. The original late flowering "Pheasant's Eye" variety, so popular for gardens and naturalizing; pure white flowers with orange cup, edged with red. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

POETICUS ORNATUS. The early flowering Poeticus so popular for winter forcing as well as for gardens and naturalizing; splendid large white flowers with saffron cup margined scarlet. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.



Double Narcissus Von Sion, True Double Yellow Daffodil



GIANT WHITE NARCISSUS (See text opposite page 10)

Giant White Narcissus

NEW, DISTINCT AND BEAUTIFUL, MAGNIFICENT LARGE FLOWERS. GROWS IN WATER.

This grand variety is the earliest flowering Narcissus, coming into bloom for the Christmas holidays. Grows with absolute certainty and produces in lovely clusters immense numbers of deliciously scented pure white flowers whose fragrance is the equal of Orange Blossoms. Superb in every way.

GROW IT IN WATER. It succeeds best when grown in water. Place sand or gravel in the bottom of the receptacle in which it is to be grown, firmly embedding the bulb in it; then keep well covered with water as shown in the illustration, and you will not have long to wait until the lovely clusters of large white flowers will appear. It may be grown in soil, like a Hyacinth, but the best and most interesting method is in pebbles and water.

TO GET THE BEST EFFECTS, several bulbs (not less than six) should be placed together. Give plenty of sunshine, and we think all our friends who are fortunate enough to try it will concede that for fragrance, immensity of flowers and ease of culture it will be hard to find the equal to the Giant White Narcissus. The bulbs we offer are imported direct from France; are large, sound and solid; sure to grow and bloom. Price, postpaid, by mail, 10 cents each; 75 cents per dozen.

NARCISSUS, SOLEIL D'OR (SUN OF GOLD) GIANT GOLDEN SWEET-SCENTED SACRED LILY

Same as above except in color. Large, sweet, golden yellow flowers; hardy, thrives in any window or garden. Blooms quickly and freely in soil, sand or pebbles and water. Beautiful and very fragrant. Large bulbs. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

DOUBLE SACRED LILY

(Double Roman Narcissus)

Grown in the same manner as Chinese Sacred Lily. Produces abundance of double white flowers; white, shaded beautiful yellow; fragrant and lasting. Can be easily brought into bloom for Christmas. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

The above are about the most easily grown, continuous and abundant blooming bulbs you can get.

Giant Narcissus or Trumpet Daffodils

OF all bulbous plants, the Daffodils will stand more vicissitude of soil and climatic conditions than any other class. All they need is a good start to make themselves naturally and gloriously "at home" in any location. Their delicate scented flowers are very welcome in the winter pots and boxes; but out-of-doors, in garden, lawn, or wildwood, they find their greatest perfection.

Some of the Narcissus bloom as early as the Crocus, making the garden look very cheery and bright with their gold color in Spring. The flowers assume many forms and present many charming combinations of white, gold, primrose orange, sulphur and pure yellow. Some are quite fragrant; all are very hardy, with the exception of the clustered Polyanthus varieties, which though extensively grown for cut flowers are not for outdoor planting.

ALL YELLOW TRUMPET NARCISSUS EMPEROR. One of the finest Daffodils in cultivation; the entire flower of the richest yellow, trumpet of immense size and the petals of the Perianth are so broad they overlap and measure 3 1/2 inches across. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

EMPERESS. A magnificent large variety, bold and erect. A rare beauty. Some give to the palm of being the best of the two-colored trumpets. Perianths white and of great substance, trumpet rich yellow. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

GRANDEE. Flowers large, with broad white perianth, the petals of which are wide and overlapping; tube a magnificent yellow, beautifully imbricated; a flower of great substance and grand for cutting. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

GOLDEN SPUR. One of the grandest Daffodils, with extra large, bold, rich yellow flowers, foliage very broad and striking. It is of unusually robust

habit and unsurpassed for gardens, pots or forcing. Early and extremely free flowering. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

HENRY IRVING. A first-class and popular old variety for either pot culture, forcing, garden cultivation or naturalizing; very early; broad, round yellow perianth petals and large yellow trumpet. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

PRINCESS MAXIMUMS. Very early. This is one of the most popular winter-flowering and forcing varieties grown, on account of its low price. Flowers large, perianth sulphury; rich yellow trumpet. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

VICTORIA. A bi-color famous for its large and durable flowers, which stand boldly erect; broad perianth of cream white; large, broad, trumpet of rich yellow; a strong grower, with massive flowers. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.



Lilium Candidum

LILIUM CANDIDUM

ANNUNCIATION or MADONNA LILY. This is one of the most popular of garden Lilies. The flowers are pure snow-white and very fragrant, borne on long stems. To succeed with it, it should be planted early in the autumn, so that it can make some growth before frost; give the bulbs a light dusting with powdered sulphur, and do not cover with more than two inches of soil; three to four feet. Flowers May and June. Bulbs ready now. Price, 30 cents each; four for \$1.00.

LILIUM GIGANTEUM

EASTER LILY. The flowers are trumpet-shaped, pure white, gracefully formed and delightfully fragrant. Even the smallest bulbs bloom freely. Price, large bulbs, 40 cents each; three for \$1.00.

Sweet Scented Jonquils

MUCH prized for their charming golden and deliciously sweet-scented flowers; perfectly hardy and flowering very early in the Spring; also admirably adapted for Winter flowering in the house. Three to six bulbs in a four or five-inch pot.

NOTE—Do not confuse these small sweet Jonquils with the large double yellow Narcissus Von Sion, which many incorrectly call Double Yellow Jonquil.

SINGLE JONQUIL. The well known favorite. Rich yellow, fragrant. Price, 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen.

DOUBLE JONQUILS. Heads of small but very double golden yellow flowers, powerfully scented. Price, 7 cents each; 75 cents per dozen.

WINTER BLOOMING OXALIS

The variety of Oxalis we offer at this season is entirely suitable for winter-blooming and pot culture. These lovely flowers are now among the most popular for hanging baskets, pots and positions calling for grace and color in winter plants. A few in a five-inch pot or basket will start off at once and soon be in flower, remaining so throughout the winter.

BERMUDA BUTTERCUPS. New, large flowering, yellow. 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen.

OXALIS BOWEI. An elegant species from the Cape of Good Hope; large, deep pink flowers. 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen.

GIANT FLOWERED CROCUS

BRILLIANT YELLOW. Rich bright yellow.

VANSPEYK. Extra large, rich violet purple; striped white; the finest of the large flowered striped sorts.

SIR JOHN BRIGT. Lovely azure blue; large fine flower and a profuse bloomer.

DANDY. Fine blue, white edged; lovely.

OTHELLO. Rich, purple black.

MONT BLANC. Large snow white; grand.

PURPUREA GRANDIFLORA. Rich purple; enormous. Price, 40 cents per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

THE WHITE CALLA

This is one of the most highly valued house plants for winter and spring bloom. It should be dried off and kept dormant from the middle of June until September, then potted in good rich soil, in a four or five-inch pot, and given plenty of heat and moisture. When well established a good plant will bear six to eight bluish at a time. Dry bulbs only. Price, extra large bulbs, 35 cents each; two for 60 cents.



Emperor

---if you want beautiful flowers this winter, or in your garden, bulbs must be planted

Vestal's Superior Named Dutch Hyacinths

HYACINTHS are among the most popular and satisfactory hardy flower bulbs grown. Their wax-like bell-formed flowers, borne in buxom trusses, are a matchless beauty and also delightfully fragrant. The colors, shades and tints are wonderfully varied; from purest white through blue, pink, rose, etc., to deepest red and from daintiest porcelain through blues to black-purple, from cream through yellows to orange and rosy apricot, etc. Hyacinths succeed with every one, and may be had in flower throughout the winter, grown either in pots or soils or glasses of water, or in bowls of prepared fibre, while for gardens or bedded on the lawn they are gorgeously effective when in flower during the spring.

THE LARGEST FLOWERED NEW VARIETIES

Price, Your Selection, 15 Cents Each; \$1.50 Per Dozen, Postpaid.

BISMARCK. A grand new variety producing a large spike well furnished with immense bells of charming light blue shaded with violet in center of petals; very early.

ENCHANTRESS. Large pure "baby blue" bells, compactly filling the tall handsome well-rounded spike. **GENERAL DE WET.** A pink sport of Grand Maître, usually throwing two or more strong, well-filled spikes. **COLOR.** lively pink with a white throat.

GENERAL VETTER. This makes the largest spikes of all Hyacinths, it grows pyramidal in form with large bells of lovely bluish white.

BRITISH QUEEN. A splendid new variety bearing very large pure snow white bells on a tall gracefully filled spike. Very early.

IVANHOE. Glossy purplish indigo with a white throat, splendid tall spike and large bells.

JACQUES. This beautiful Hyacinth is known in our trial grounds as "The Big Pink," the spike being very large, tall and well-filled with very large bells of an exquisite shade of warm rose-pink.

LA VICTORIE. A grand red variety, splendid erect spike well filled and topped with large brilliant rose-red bells; good bedder and fine forcer.

LORD BALFOUR. Enormously large, broad spike of big waxy bells; coloring attractive and unique; claret-purple edged reddish mauve.

MENELIK. The darkest of all Hyacinths, being almost black; the best and most brilliant of its color; fine large truss.

PERLE BRILLIANTE. Splendid large spike of big waxy bells; color sparkling lavender with outside tints of ultra-marine blue.

QUEEN OF WHITES. Large waxy bells of purest white; tall truss of perfect form.

QUEEN WILHELMINA. A very pleasing shade of vivid pink; large, sturdy, well-formed truss and fine bells; early.

RUBY. Brilliant ruby-red bells on a tall spike, well filled, very distinct.

VICTOR EMANUEL. Brilliant deep rose, splendid large truss; one of the largest belled varieties of its color.

KING OF YELLOWS. The best and largest yellow; splendid well-filled tall spike; good big bells of bright buttercup yellow.

These are selected unnamed sorts, made in mixtures best adapted for beds and borders in the garden, or for florists' greenhouse forcing for cut flowers and are of such superior qualities as to be used in immense quantities for both purposes. Especially desirable where a grand display is desired at a low cost.

Dark Red; Rose and Pink; Red and Rose, all shades; Pure White; Blush White and Tints; Dark Blue and Violet; Light Blue and Lavender; Blue, light and dark; Yellow, all shades; all colors mixed.

Price, 10 cents each; 90 cents per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.

HOW TO GROW BEAUTIFUL HYACINTHS

IN THE OPEN GROUND—Plant in the fall, 6 inches apart each way and 3 to 4 inches deep. Give them slight protection over winter, and in the spring, after the flowers are gone, the bulbs may be removed in time to set your summer flowering plants.

IN POTS OR WINDOW BOXES—Plant the bulb in the pot so that its crown just shows, then set away in a cool, dark place for six weeks or two months for root growth to develop. After this, bring gradually to the light, heat and air; give plenty of water.

Vestal's Mammoth Dutch Hyacinths

Ideal for Bedding and Forcing—Separate Colors

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Vestal's Giant Darwin and other Tulips

Do Not Overlook the Darwin, the Most Beautiful of Tulips

BARONNE DE LA TONNAYE. Bright rose, margined bluish rose; long, large flower, beautifully shaped.

DREAM. Pale violet changing to lavender, with lighter edge, clear blue base. Early and keeps its color.

EUROPE. Glowing salmon-scarlet, shaded rose; well formed globular flower, erect grower and keeps its color.

FAIRCOMBE SANDERS. Fiery rose-scarlet, inside vivid cerise scarlet with white center, marked blue; flowers perfect shape.

MASSACHUSETTS. Deep rose-banded petals with very distinct pale rose edges. Long oval blooms on strong, erect stems. Early and lasts well.

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MIXED ASSORTMENT

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Double Flowering Daffodils are hardy and especially adapted for open ground planting, where under congenial conditions they thrive and increase for years. The early sorts are also useful for pot culture and for winter forcing.

DOUBLE VON SION. The true "Double Yellow" Daffodil. Rich golden yellow perianth and trumpet. Price, 12 cents each; \$1.25 per dozen.

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THE POET'S NARCISSUS (Narcissus Poeticus)

Splendid for Edging Borders Along a Walk.

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Giant White Narcissus

NEW, DISTINCT AND BEAUTIFUL, MAGNIFICENT LARGE FLOWERS. GROWS IN WATER.

This grand variety is the earliest flowering Narcissus, coming into bloom for the Christmas holidays. Grows with absolute certainty and produces in lovely clusters immense numbers of deliciously scented pure white flowers whose fragrance is the equal of Orange Blossoms. Superb in every way.

GROW IT IN WATER. It succeeds best when grown in water. Place sand or gravel in the bottom of the receptacle in which it is to be grown, firmly embedding the bulb in it; then keep well covered with water as shown in the illustration, and you will not have long to wait until the lovely clusters of large white flowers will appear. It may be grown in soil, like a Hyacinth, but the best and most interesting method is in pebbles and water.

TO GET THE BEST EFFECTS, several bulbs (not less than six) should be placed together. Give plenty of sunshine, and we think all our friends who are fortunate enough to try it will concede that for fragrance, immensity of flowers and ease of culture it will be hard to find the equal to the Giant White Narcissus. The bulbs we offer are imported direct from France; are large, sound and solid; sure to grow and bloom. Price, postpaid, by mail, 10 cents each; 75 cents per dozen.

NARCISSUS, SOLEIL D'OR (SUN OF GOLD) GIANT GOLDEN SWEET-SCENTED SACRED LILY

Same as above except in color. Large, sweet, golden yellow flowers; hardy, thrives in any window or garden. Blooms quickly and freely in soil, sand or pebbles and water. Beautiful and very fragrant. Large bulbs. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

DOUBLE SACRED LILY (Double Roman Narcissus)

Grown in the same manner as Chinese Sacred Lily. Produces abundance of double white flowers; white, shaded beautiful yellow; fragrant and lasting. Can be easily brought into bloom for Christmas. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

The above are about the most easily grown, continuous and abundant blooming bulbs you can get.

Double Narcissus Von Sion, True Double Yellow Daffodil



GIANT WHITE NARCISSUS (See text on left of page)

Planting Time is Here

YOU have made up your mind to have some of these flowers this spring. The time to plant them, is now. To get best results you must get your bulbs into the ground before it freezes. Also start your bulbs for indoor growing now and by successive planting you can have flowers all during the winter.

ORDER YOUR BULBS NOW.

Vestal's Superior Named Dutch Hyacinths

HYACINTHS are among the most popular and satisfactory hardy flower bulbs grown. Their wax-like bell-formed flowers, borne in buxom trusses, are a matchless beauty and also delightfully fragrant. The colors, shades and tints are wonderfully varied, from purest white through blush, pink, rose, etc., to deepest red and from daintiest porcelain through blues to black purple, from cream through yellows to orange and rosy apricot, etc. Hyacinths succeed with very one, and may be had in flower throughout the winter, grown either in pots or soil, or in bowls of prepared fibre, while for gardens or bedded on the lawn they are gorgeously effective when in flower during the spring.

THE LARGEST FLOWERED NEW VARIETIES

Price, Your Selection, 15 Cents Each; \$1.50 Per Dozen. Postpaid.

BISMARCK. A grand new variety producing a large spike well furnished with immense bells of charming light blue shaded with violet in center of petals; very early.

ENCHANTESS. Large pure "baby blue" bells, compactly filling the tall handsome well-rounded spike.

GENERAL DE WET. A pink sport of Grand Maitre, usually throwing two or more strong, well-filled spikes. Color, lively pink with a white throat.

GENERAL VETTER. This makes the largest spikes of all Hyacinths, it grows pyramidal in form with large bells of lovely blush white.

BRITISH QUEEN. A splendid new variety bearing very large pure snow white bells on a tall gracefully filled spike. Very early.

IVANHOE. Glossy purplish indigo with a white throat, splendid tall spike and large bells.

JACQUES. This beautiful Hyacinth is known in our trial grounds as "The Big Pink," the spike being very large, tall and well-filled with very large bells of an exquisite shade of warm rose-pink.

LA VICTORIE. A grand red variety, splendid erect spike well filled and topped with large brilliant rose-red bells; good bedder and fine forcer.

LORD BALFOUR. Enormously large, broad spike of big waxy bells, coloring attractive and unique; claret-purple edged reddish mauve.

MENELIK. The darkest of all Hyacinths, being almost black; the best and most brilliant of its color; fine large truss.

PERLE BRILLIANTE. Splendid large spike of big waxy bells; color sparkling lavender with outside tints of ultra-marine blue.

QUEEN OF WHITES. Large waxy bells of purest white; tall truss of perfect form.

QUEEN WILHELMINA. A very pleasing shade of vivid pink; large, sturdy, well-formed truss and fine bells; early.

RUBY. Brilliant ruby-red bells on a tall spike, well filled, very distinct.

VICTOR EMANUEL. Brilliant deep rose, splendid large truss; one of the largest belled varieties of its color.

KING OF YELLOWS. The best and largest yellow; splendid well-filled tall spike; good big bells of bright buttercup yellow.



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Vestal's Mammoth Dutch Hyacinths

Ideal for Bedding and Forcing—Separate Colors

THESE are selected unnamed sorts, made in mixtures best adapted for beds and borders in the garden, or for florists' greenhouse forcing for cut flowers and are of such superior qualities as to be used in immense quantities for both purposes. Especially desirable where a grand display is desired at a low cost. Dark Red; Rose and Pink; Red and Rose, all shades; Pure White; Blush White and Tints; Dark Blue and Violet; Light Blue and Lavender; Blue, light and dark; Yellow, all shades; all colors mixed. Price, 10 cents each; 90 cents per dozen; \$6.00 per 100.

HOW TO GROW BEAUTIFUL HYACINTHS

IN THE OPEN GROUND—Plant in the fall, 6 inches apart each way and 3 to 4 inches deep. Give them slight protection over winter, and in the spring, after the flowers are gone, the bulbs may be removed in time to set your summer flowering plants.

IN POTS OR WINDOW BOXES—Plant the bulb in the pot so that its crown just shows, then set away in a cool, dark place for six weeks or two months for root-growth to develop. After this, bring gradually to the light, heat and air; give plenty of water.

Giant Narcissus or Trumpet Daffodils

OF all bulbous plants, the Daffodils will stand more vicissitude of soil and climatic conditions than any other class. All they need is a good start to make themselves naturally and gloriously "at home" in any location. Their delicate scented flowers are very welcome in the winter pots and boxes; but out-of-doors, in garden, lawn, or wildwood, they find their greatest perfection.

Some of the Narcissus bloom as early as the Crocus, making the garden look very cheery and bright with their gold color in Spring. The flowers assume many forms and present many charming combinations of white, gold, primrose orange, sulphur and pure yellow. Some are quite fragrant; all are very hardy, with the exception of the clustered Polyanthus varieties, which though extensively grown for cut flowers are not for outdoor planting.

ALL YELLOW TRUMPET NARCISSUS EMPEROR. One of the finest Daffodils in cultivation; entire flower of the richest yellow, trumpet of immense size and the petals of the Perianth are so broad they overlap and measure 3½ inches across. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

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HENRY IRVING. A first-class and popular old variety for either pot culture, forcing, garden cultivation or naturalizing; very early; broad, round, yellow perianth petals and large yellow trumpet. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

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SMITHII FERN. A greatly improved Ostrich Plume Fern, with extremely finely cut fronds, could be rightfully described as Baby Breath Fern. It is of compact form, fronds on wiry stems that do not break down in center. This variety will have a wonderful sale. *Prices, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 each.*

VERONA FERN. Makes a good plant in any size, much finer frond than any crested Fern except Smithii. We consider it one of the best of the newer varieties. *Prices, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 each.*

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NEPHROLEPIS WHITMANII

(The Improved Tarrytown Fern)

This is an aristocrat among all the Nephrolepis, and when well grown is unquestionably the finest of the lot. In this we have unquestionably the most valuable fern of the Ostrich Plume type yet introduced. Not only is it of dwarfier and more compact habit than the Elegantiissima, but the leaves being more deeply divided, gives the plant a much more graceful appearance, while another important point in favor of the Whitmanii is the fact that not a single frond has ever reverted to the common Boston Fern. We offer strong young plants, 15 cents each; 4 for 50 cents. Strong, handsome four-inch pot plants, 35 cents each.

THESE beautiful plants for home decoration vie with the Palms for first place in the esteem of flower lovers. They are finely cut and oddly shaped. Ferns give a graceful effect produced by few other plants and they do exceedingly well in the parlor and conservatory. The Nephrolepis family, of which the well known Boston is a member, has furnished us many beautiful species of late years. We recommend all the varieties listed.



"Teddy Junior" Fern

"RED SNAPPER" PLANT FOOD

This is a highly concentrated plant food made up scientifically to cover the needs of plant life, both out-of-doors and in window-garden and conservatory. It has been on the market some time; its advertisement has been nation-wide, and is probably well known to most of our customers. Easily applied, pleasant to use; and we are pleased to recommend it. By far the richest, most nutritious and yet harmless organic fertilizer for house plants and small fruits, climbing vines and shrubbery ever placed on the market. It is made from specially prepared and finely ground fish bone meal and nitrogenous cartilage mixed with pulverized tobacco snuff. Put up in a concentrated form.

1 Lovely Parlor Fern.
1 Elegant Palm.

1 Splendid Geranium.
1 Emerald Feather Asparagus.

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SET OF SIX POSTPAID, ONLY 75 CENTS

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(*Nephrolepis Cordata Compacta*)

Fitting companion for the Boston; dwarfier, more erect in growth, much darker shade of green, very gracefully arched. Very desirable as a house plant. *Price, 45 cents each; larger, 30 cents each.*

TEDDY JUNIOR

This magnificent Fern has never before been offered for sale by any florist or catalogue firm. It is a sport from the now famous Roosevelt Fern, and while its habits of growth are to produce a shorter frond, it retains all the valuable characteristics of the parent plant. The fronds are broad and beautifully tapered from base to tip; they droop just enough to make a shapely, graceful plant, permitting it to finish with a fine full center and perfect symmetrical spread. *Price, 20 cents each; larger, 50 cents each.*

NEW FERN JOHN WANAMAKER

(*"The Wanamaker Boston Fern"*)

Originated from Scholzelii, with longer, narrower, gracefully drooping fronds. It is not so compact in growth as Scholzelii, and therefore does not decay in the center, and is a durable house Fern. It is a rapid grower, making an abundance of fronds, and is quite distinct from any other Fern. *Price, nice plants, 30 cents each; larger plants, 50 cents each.*

ASPARAGUS FERNS

ASPARAGUS SPRENGERI (*Emerald Feather*). A strong, vigorous plant, very easily grown and requires little care. *15 cents and 25 cents each, postpaid; extra sizes, 35 cents and 50 cents each, by express.*

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